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In re Patent Application of:  
Jeffrey L. Browning *et al.*

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For: SOLUBLE LYMPHOTOXIN-BETA  
RECEPTORS AS THERAPEUTIC AGENTS  
FOR THE TREATMENT OF SYSTEMIC  
LUPUS ERYTHEMATOSIS (AS AMENDED)

Examiner: C. H. Yaen

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO EX PARTE QUAYLE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated February 14, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.